

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	B.A. Curtis et al.	Examiner:	Eric B. Kiss
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TITLE:	METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR ACCESSING VARIABLES FROM AN OPERATING SYSTEM FOR USE BY AN APPLICATION PROGRAM		

**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:**

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**PROPOSED AGENDA FOR INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

The following proposed amendments to claim 1 are being submitted merely for discussion.